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NEW PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER  
(37 C.F.R. §1.53(b))

Transmitted herewith for filing is an original (nonprovisional)  
patent application of:

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Entitled: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR GENERATING AN OPERATION  
OR PROCESSING LOAD

Enclosed are the following papers as required for a filing date  
under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b):

44 Pages Description;  
6 Pages Claims;  
1 Page Abstract; and  
8 Drawing Sheets (formal).

Other papers enclosed include:

X Return Receipt Postcard;  
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2 Pages Combined Declaration for Patent  
Application and Power of Attorney;

New Patent Application Transmittal Letter  
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1 Page Recordation Form Cover Sheet; and

1 Page Assignment of the invention to Sun Microsystems, Inc.

Fee Calculation					
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee
					\$750.00
Total No. of Claims	30	- 20 =	10	X \$18.00	\$ 180.00
No. of Independent Claims	3	- 3 =	0	X \$84.00	\$ 0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims				\$280.00	0.00
Total of above Calculation					\$930.00
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Filing Fee	\$ 930.00
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